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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Conversation With [REDACTED]

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25X1 1. I received a telephone call from [REDACTED]
[REDACTED], Executive Assistant to Vice President
Humphrey. He said he was calling to express the
25X1 Vice President's appreciation for the current in-
telligence service we were providing him. Mr.
[REDACTED] said he reads the Current Intelligence
Bulletin with great care each morning and finds
in the publication information of considerable
value to him.

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25X1 2. [REDACTED] offered to convey to me from
time to time some of the Vice President's comments
as an indicator of his particular interests. I
accepted this proposal, saying that feedback of
this sort was extremely valuable to us in deter-
mining whether or not we are providing the right
service to our high-level consumers. Referring
to the issue of 28 April, [REDACTED] said the Vice
President had been particularly interested in the
25X1 items on the current situation in Vietnam, the
suppression of the Buddhists in Burma, the North
Korean attack on the US reconnaissance aircraft,
and the account of the situation in the Dominican
Republic. I told [REDACTED] that we would be
happy to provide the Vice President with additional
information on these or other topics at any time
he might request them. I said frequently we have
memoranda or other already published pieces which
we can provide, or we could pull together the in-
formation in response to a specific request from
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3. [] expressed his gratitude for this offer of additional service. I assured him that we regarded it our job to keep the Vice President as fully informed on matters of substantive intelligence as is within our power to do.

/s/
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Current Intelligence

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